

RESPONSE TO NOTICE

Submitted herewith is a Statement As Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f); paper copy of sequence listing and computer readable form (CRF) which comply with requirements for patent applications containing nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid sequence disclosures.

Applicants believe that the attached documents fully respond to the Notice to Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures for this application.

AMENDMENT

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 14, with the following:

B¹
Reporter plasmids for these studies were constructed by ligating the appropriate oligonucleotides into the HindIII site of the TK-LUC vector to create TK-LXREx3-LUC, TK-MH100x4-LUC (Kang, T., et al., 1993, J. Biol Chem. 268: 9629-9635). The sense strand of the LXRE oligonucleotide used to construct the reporter plasmid TK-LXREx3-LUC was 5'agcttGCGGTTCCCAGGGTTTAAATAAGTTCATCTAGAT3' (SEQ. ID. NO. 1). All constructs were verified by sequencing. Data are presented as relative light units (RLUs) and represent the mean of triplicate assays ± standard error.

A marked-up copy is attached as Appendix A.